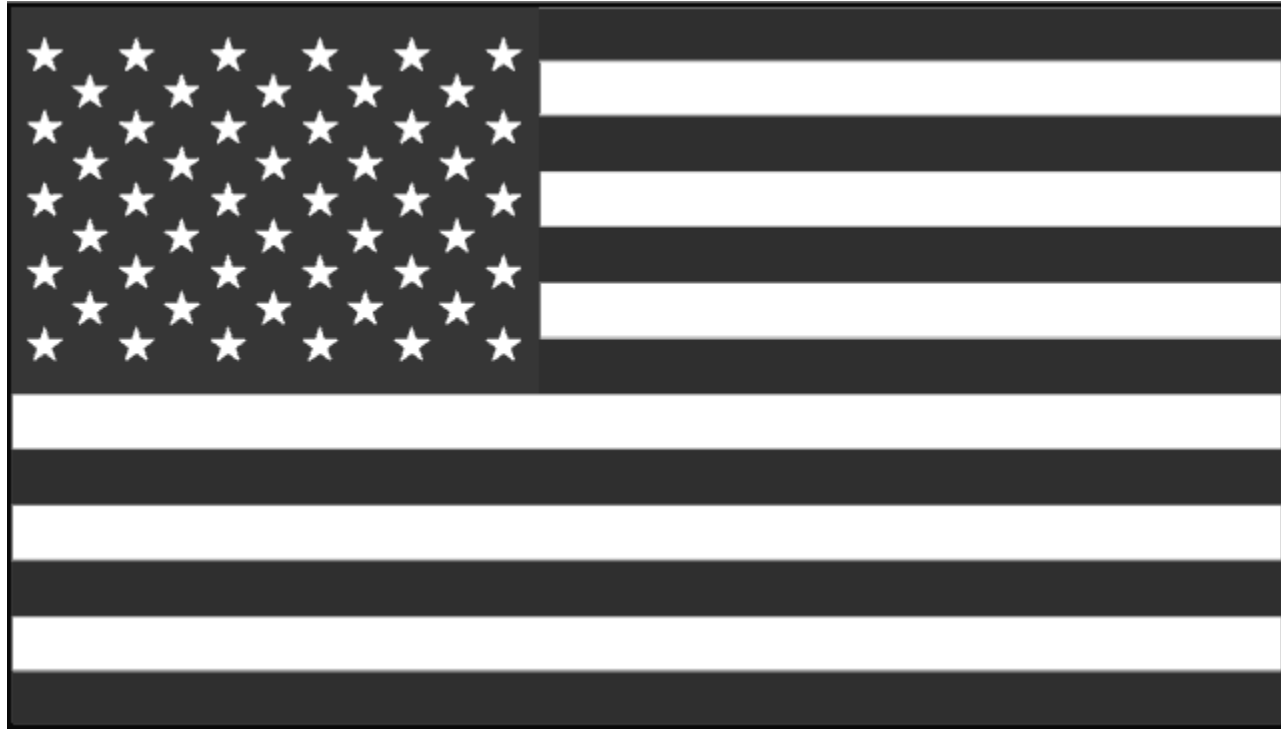


Symbol

A person, place, object
or activity that stands
for something beyond
itself.



Stars = 50 States
Stripes = 13 Original Colonies
White = Purity and Innocence
Red = Hardiness and Valor
Blue = Vigilance, Perseverance and Justice

- Symbol

- The last ivy leaf hanging on the vine in late fall

- Meaning

- Beginning of story
 - Death, Johnsy's desire to die, Giving up
- End of story
 - Hope/fighting to live/never giving up

Symbol in *The Last Leaf*